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Re: Application of Masayuki TAKAHIRA  
**METHOD OF COMPRESSING/EXTENDING COLOR REPRODUCING SPACE, COLOR  
REPRODUCING METHOD AND COLOR REPRODUCING APPARATUS**  
Our Reference: Q58735

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including the specification, claims and thirteen (13) sheets of drawings. The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total Claims	27 - 20 =	7 x \$18 =	\$ 126.00
Independent Claims	7 - 3 =	4 x \$78 =	\$ 312.00
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<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>			<b>\$1,388.00</b>

Priority is claimed from:

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The priority documents will be submitted at a later date.

Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on a Sunday, the filing of this application on Monday, July 17, 2000, is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority.

Respectfully submitted,  
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